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NAPPO Conference Call Report

Expert Group:	Lymantriids	
Location:	Conference call	
Date:	August 19, 2019	
Chairperson		
Participants:		
Dave Holden (CFIA)	Thierry Poiré (CFIA)	Glenn Fowler (APHIS-PPQ)
Allison Buys (NAPPO intern)	Nedelka Marín-Martínez (NAPPO)	Alonso Suazo (NAPPO)
Summary		
Project:	Develop a NAPPO Science and Technology paper on the risks associated with Lymantriids of potential concern to the NAPPO region, identifying potential species and pathways of concern.	
General comments:	<p>The TD thanked members of the EG for joining the call and took the opportunity to thank Allison Buys for helping with the Lymantriid project. This was the last day for Allison as a NAPPO intern working on the Lymantriid project.</p> <p>The TD also informed the group that Eduardo Jiménez (SEMARNAT) is no longer part of the EG. The TD thanked Eduardo for his contributions to the NAPPO Lymantriid project.</p>	
Item 1:	Project updates	
Consensus:	<p>Data updates– Allison Buys and Dave Holden</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Changes were made to the project “Google Drive” folders. Allison provided a description of each folder created, the type of files included and the number of datasheets (risk analyses) in each folder. Allison indicated that most of the work she has done involved the standardization of datasheets. • The <i>climate match</i> statement in the datasheets was replaced with the statement “<i>Amount of the NAPPO region with similar climate types to where the species occurs</i>”. • The group requested from Allison a checklist of the formatting that has been done for the final versions of the risk analysis datasheets. 	
Item 2:	Document updates	
Consensus:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TD thanked Glenn Fowler and Thierry Poiré for adding information to the document. 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The TD will continue working on the document, filling information gaps to have a draft version that could be used as the basis to work during the face-to-face meeting. 	
Item 3:	Face-to-face meeting	
Consensus:	The TD indicated that a two-day face-to-face meeting needs to be scheduled sometime at the end of 2019 or early in 2020 to finalize the S&T document. December 9 was set as a tentative date.	
Other subjects	The TD indicated he will prepare the EG report to present at the annual meeting in Montreal, Canada.	
Next Steps		
Responsible Person	Action	Date
Next Meeting		
Location:	Conference call.	
Date:	September 17, 2019 from 2:00-3:00 pm	
Proposed Agenda Items		
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